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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants submit the following Preliminary Amendment
for entry in the above-identified case.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-13 without prejudice.

Please add the following claims:

~~--45. A process for preparing C₆₀ comprising:~~

~~(a) vaporizing a carbon source in the presence of an
inert quenching gas under conditions effective to form a sooty
carbon product comprising C₆₀ molecules, said C₆₀ molecules
being present in said sooty carbon product in amounts capable of
extracting and recovering predominantly therefrom said C₆₀ in
solid form; and~~

~~(b) recovering C₆₀ from said sooty carbon product.~~

~~46. The process according to Claim 45 wherein said
extracted C₆₀ is recovered in solid form.~~

~~47. The process according to Claim 45 wherein said
extracted C₆₀ is recovered in solution.~~

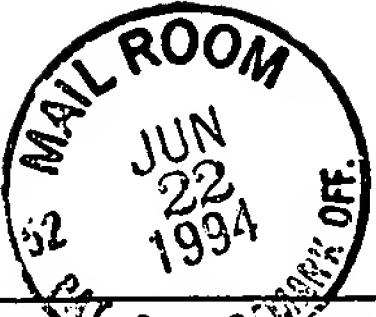
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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* 37	\$ 814
+ 115	\$ 115
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